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**Affidavit By  
I. S. Farmer.**

I. S. Farmer in an affidavit says that his original affidavit is true that he made in the support of A. T. Stewart, and the one procured by E. B. McGlone was procured by misrepresentation. The affidavit follows:

State of Kentucky,  
Set  
Powell County

The affiant, I. S. Farmer, says that the affidavit which was signed and circulated by Jeff C. Everman, H. C. Benningfield, R. M. Morton and I. S. Farmer, this affiant, was the same affidavit which I, the affiant gave A. T. Stewart, stating that we endorse the said Stewart and expect to vote for him at the Primary election, August 7, 1915, and that the same was genuine, and that this affidavit signed and sworn to by me was not a forgery, nor procured by fraud. At the time that I made the affidavit to E. B. McGlone I did not have the original affidavit before me that I made to the said Stewart, and that the affidavit as was represented to me which was reputed to be the original affidavit was not the same as was represented to me by the said McGlone, and for that reason I made the affidavit to him. I. S. Farmer. Witness, H. C. Skidmore, M. F. Skidmore.

A. T. Stewart;  
Examiner for Powell County

**For State Treasurer**

Hon. Claude B. Terrel, of Bedford, Democratic candidate for Treasurer, is one of the most popular candidates on the ticket. Practically every Democratic paper in the State has endorsed candidacy, and he is almost sure of a big plurality. His previous experience as Speaker in the House of Representatives, has made him familiar with State business, and he has the ability to make the people of the state an excellent official.

Miss Grace Ritchie has returned home after spending a summer term at the Cincinnati Conservatory of music.

**STANTON.**  
(By, P. O. Derthick.)

Albert Easter and A. M. Lowe spoke to a very enthusiastic audience at the Court House last Friday night.

Miss Maxie Johnson, of Tallega, and a graduate of our college this year visited in Stanton over Sunday.

Miss Lennie Smith has been dangerously sick with typhoid fever, but is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Catron have moved into the house vacated by M. A. Phillips and family.

Mrs. Mary E. Johnson's daughter from Hamilton, Ohio, is visiting her this week.

Miss Minnie Conlee received a bad fall from a swing that crippled her up for a few days.

Mrs. Sis Hall is suffering from rheumatism very much this week. Her son Ab Hall, of Montgomery County, was here visiting last week.

Robert Morris left for Hamilton, Ohio, where he will seek work for the future.

The two children of John Creed were thrown from a horse last week and one of them severely injured by the horse stepping on it.

A. T. Stewart is making an aggressive campaign for the nomination for the Legislature. Splendid reports are coming in from all over Powell and Estill Counties in his favor.

It might be of interest to know that this past year there were 2184 pupils of school age in our County, with an attendance of 1879 or an average of 74 percent based on last census. The average annual wage of teachers was \$264.34. There are 37 school houses in the county, most of them fairly good condition. We wish the attendance might be brought up to at least 95 percent.

Mrs. Frances Adams and little son of Lexington are visiting her brother E. H. Fuller.

It is desired that everybody that can meet at the cemetery next Wednesday, August 11th to clean up the cemetery, such good work was done last year that we wish to continue the improvement. Men, women and children are all invited to help.

M. A. Phillips held a sale of his household goods Saturday and every thing brought a fair price. He will go with his family to Louisville where they will make their future home. The Sunday School Class of the Christian Church requested the writer to say a few words of appreciation in behalf of Mrs. Phillips. He is only too glad to do so but he finds he isn't eloquent enough thoughts to do her justice. Mrs. Phillips has a host of friends in Stanton who sincerely and deeply regret her leaving our town. If the writer has ever heard anything said against her he does not remember it. To be held a friend of Mrs. Phillips was an honor sought by every one who

**Edward J. McDermott.**

Among the many candidates who are seeking the nomination for Governor this year, Lieutenant Governor Edward J. McDermott stands out as being one of the most popular. In the first place his duties as Lieutenant Governor have made him familiar with the routine of the office, and it is admitted by all that he has the indispensable qualifications for that office, including ability, learning, experience and sterling quality. He has proved to the citizens of the state that he is qualified, and you will make no mistake in marking your ballot for him Saturday.

**For Lieutenant Governor**

Judge Black is a man of character and standing, a lawyer of ability, and his record on the bench is such as to entitle him to the confidences of the whole people.

The Democratic party is fortunate in having at its command such a candidate for Lieutenant Governor. The position is one of first importance. In so far as it relates to the County Unit bill, it is a matter of greater importance than that of the Governor.

The Democrats, therefore, owe it to themselves, to their own record, the platform upon which they elected the state officers four years ago, to name as their candidate for Lieutenant Governor a man who has always stood for party loyalty, for party principles, for home rule and for the County Unit bill.

Judge Black will add to the strength of the ticket, both because of his personal qualities, his party record and his representative character as a man from the mountains.—Louisville Evening Post.

knew her. She was a queenly home woman and it was a rare delight to be a guest at her table. Her fame as a cook was known far and near. The writer has heard from all sides the highest words of tribute for her, and her influence in this community will be missed. Her grand daughter, Lucile Todd, will also be missed as she has a host of friends who regret to see her leave. Lucile has a wonderful talent for music and her piano playing was marvelous. We wish them God speed in their new home and that a visit from them may be often, indeed,

**A Salary Grabber.**

The Democrats of Powell county must on Saturday express their choice between Judge Benton, of Clark county, and Judge Shackelford, of Madison county, as to which they prefer for Circuit Judge. They know Judge Benton, who has served them with fidelity. They know nothing of Judge Shackelford, his character or his habits, or his qualifications for the job.

On the 21st day of October, 1913 the Madisonian, Hon. Grant E. Lilly's newspaper at Richmond, called Judge Shackelford a salary grabber. The charge came up in this way: Judge Shackelford had been county judge for four years, and was again the nominee of the Democratic party. He was receiving a salary of \$1250 a year. He demanded the sum of \$1500 for the next four years. The Fiscal Court was composed of eight magistrates, four of whom voted for the raise, and four against it. Judge Shackelford broke the tie by voting for the increase.

The Madisonian, in commenting on this action of Judge Shackelford, had this to say:

"One of the direct results of bribery in elections is best illustrated by recent acts of certain county officials in having their salaries raised.

One of the chief officials of the county, the Connay Judge, whose duty it is to guard and protect the finances of the people, has voted to himself a raise in salary of \$250 per year, amounting during the term to \$1000. Whether this will entirely repay him for the money expended in the election, we know not, nor is it in the least material. He has by his own act voted into his own pocket and out of the pockets of the people \$1000. It cannot be denied that one of the incentives to doing this was the expenses of the recent campaign.

"His action is clearly illegal. He is the presiding officer of the Fiscal Court, and no member of the court can vote on a question in which he has a material interest. The law prohibits it."

We wonder if Judge Shackelford, when he was asking the Fiscal Court to increase his salary from \$1250 to \$1500 a year, and got the raise only by voting for it himself, explained to the Fiscal Court that besides the \$1250 the



Judge J. M. Benton

county was paying him, the county was furnishing him a stenographer for which it paid \$360 a year, that his Quarterly Court fees amounted to \$600 a year, that his fees for holding examining trials amounted to \$250 a year, that by charging five and six times what the law allows him for making settlements with guardians, executors and administrators, he was getting not less than \$1250 a year for that work. He was getting out of the county judge's office not less than \$4000 a year, and asked for \$250 more and got it by his own vote.

Does any man believe that if he had been frank with the Fiscal Court, and told the members that he was then getting \$4,000 a year out of the office, that he would have been able, even by his own vote, to get \$250 more a year.

Let the Democrats of Powell county think on these matters before they trade off a good Circuit Judge for one they know nothing about, and whose own county paper gives him such an unsavory official record.

**RELIGIOUS.**

The last meeting for this Conference year for the Hardwick's Creek Methodist Church, will be held there next Saturday night, Sunday morning, and Sunday night, the 7th and 8th. Everybody will be welcome. The members of the church are urged to be present at all these services.

# VOTE FOR EDW. J. McDERMOTT For Governor of Kentucky

# THE TIMES.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

THURSDAY, AUG. 5, 1915

With the primary election only three days off and the candidates for office making their last rounds in an endeavor to insure your vote at that time, it is the duty of every qualified elector to study over the various candidates with regard to their qualifications for the office which they seek. Your vote should not be cast for a man simply because he asks you, nor yet because he is a neighbor, or for any other similar reason. If you believe any one man of your party to be better prepared for the office than another, it is your duty to vote for that man, and thereby assist in putting the government of the county, which affects us all, into better hands.

Every legal voter, who is affiliated with either the Democratic or Republican party, has the right to go to the polling booth Saturday and express his opinion with regard to the men he thinks should be elected to the various offices which are being contested for, and every man should take advantage of that right and so express his opinion. The man who will not vote should be deprived of the right to do so and deprived of the rights of citizenship. If every voter will express his opinion as to the candidates on the ballot and will do that fearlessly and with regard only to the qualifications of that man, only the best men will have a chance for election, and general conditions will be greatly improved.

The ease with which false reports can be spread was demonstrated last week when a killing occurred at Natural Bridge. The city papers carried reports that the men accused of the shooting carried their victim into the tunnel and, laying his body across the tracks, refused to allow any one to come into the tunnel to assist the wounded man. According to reports brought here by Coroner Larison and other officers who were summoned to the scene, there was no truth in such reports. The shooting occurred in the tunnel and the wounded man was left there for some time, but he received such medical attention as was available, and was afterwards carried out to the stand on the grounds. On the arrival of the officers, the men gave themselves up without any disturbance.

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**Roxakola**  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### For Railroad Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce H. G. GARRETT as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner in the Third Railroad Commissioners District. Subject to the action of the Republican primary August 7, 1915.

### For Circuit Judge.

We are authorized to announce W. R. SHACKELFORD as Candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge of the Twenty-fifth Judicial district. Primary election August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce J. M. BENTON of Winchester, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge in the 25th Judicial district. Primary election August 7, 1915.

### For Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce C. N. CROWE as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Powell County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce MARION ATKINSON as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Powell County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1915.

### For Representative.

We are authorized to announce A. M. LOWE as a candidate for Representative from this district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce B. F. HATTON as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative from this district, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 7, 1915.

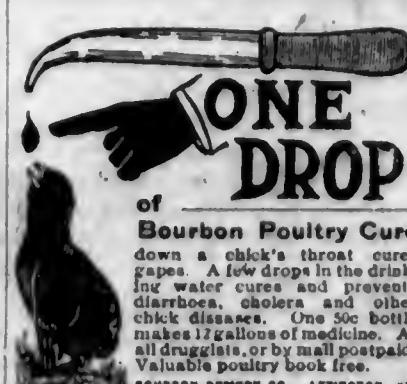
We are authorized to announce A. T. STEWART as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative for this district. Subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT EASTER as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative for this district. Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce E. B. MCGLONE as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative for this district. Subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 7, 1915.

### 23rd Judicial District.

We are authorized to announce HUGH RIDDELL as candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge for the 23rd judicial district, comprising Breathitt, Estill, Lee and Wolfe counties. Subject to the action of the August primary.



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## Efficient Nurse Finds Assistance

### Mrs. Anna L. Bryan is Given Relief by Premier Preparation

Louisville, Ky., August, 4th — Mrs. Anna L. Bryan, an efficient trained nurse, who resides at 301 Crescent Court, Crescent Hill, this city, is among the hundreds of Louisville women who have used Tanlac, the premier preparation, with the most beneficial results. Mrs. Bryan said:

"I find Tanlac very fine. I have been using it for more than a week for gastritis. I have been treated by several physicians with very poor results. At times I vomited blood, and lost weight steadily.

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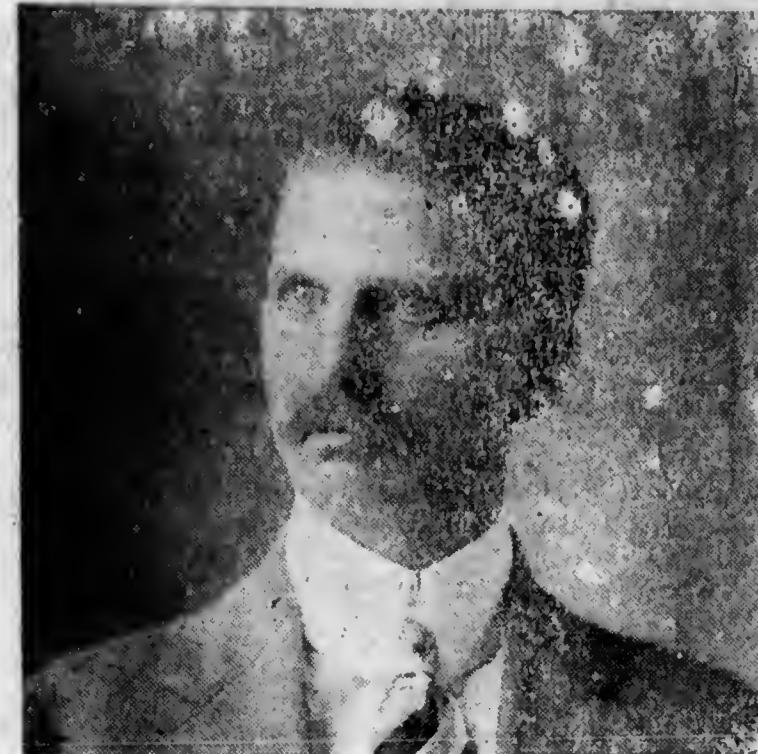
Tanlac can be obtained in Clay City at Eaton & McGuire's, and in Stanton at Hardwick & Co's.

In the race for Representative it is essential that every Democrat should turn out and vote for the candidate that he thinks is the better man, as, owing to the strong fight being made by three members of the opposite party for the nomination, there is every indication of a big split in the Republican ranks, and for that reason, the Democrats have the best chance in years to elect a Representative. Albert Easter and A. M. Lowe, the two Democratic candidates, are both well known in both Estill and Powell, and the voter should be able to decide for himself which is the better qualified for the office. But the main thing is to be sure and turn out and vote for the party.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure, and for list of testimonials.

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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WASHINGTON, D. C.

Pikeville, Ky., July 22, 1915.

Hon. James P. Lewis,  
Whitesburg, Ky.

Dear Judge Lewis:

I have recently visited other sections of Kentucky and I find the sentiment there among Republicans well nigh universal that the Tenth District has earned and ought to have a place on our State ticket this year. I find also that your eminent fitness for the office of Secretary of State is everywhere conceded. You will receive an unprecedented primary vote in this section of the Big Sandy Valley, where you are so well known and I predict your nomination by a large majority. Of course you will be elected, for this is a Republican year in Kentucky. We are going to set the pace for the Republican landslide in the Nation which is scheduled for next year.

Wishing you every success and with kind personal regards, believe me,

Sincerely yours,  
JNO. W. LANGLEY.

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# Democratic Editors See Victory for Claude B. Terrell In Race for Nomination for State Treasurer In August Primary Election.

If there is one contest in the approaching Democratic State primary election about which the Democratic newspapers of Kentucky seem to be agreed it is that the Hon. Claude B. Terrell, of Trimble County, should and will be nominated for the office of State Treasurer. Mr. Terrell has made a runaway race of it from the day he entered the contest. His especial fitness for the office he is seeking has appealed to the Democratic editors of every section of Kentucky, and they have done much to mold the sentiment of their communities in his favor by informing the people as to the character of the man and his qualifications for public service. Herewith are quoted brief paragraphs taken from editorials of newspapers published in every section of Kentucky. It would require not less than two pages of a newspaper to publish in full these unsolicited words of commendation of Mr. Terrell and his candidacy:

**The Calloway Times:** He has served three terms in the Legislature, two as Speaker, and is a clean, fair-minded, sober and discreet man. He will poll a splendid vote in this county next month.

**The Ballard County Advance:** Mr. Terrell is a man well equipped for this important office and will make a splendid official. He is a man you like better the more you see him.

**Paducah News-Democrat:** He is a substantial business man, and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him, and has many friends in this section of Kentucky who will give him their support.

**The Princeton Leader:** While here Mr. Terrell met a large number of our people and made a very favorable impression. He is well equipped from an official standpoint to fill the office of State Treasurer.

**Fulton Daily Leader:** He is a staunch Democrat, is familiar with the public affairs of the State by virtue of his commanding position the past few years in the legislature and is well fitted in every way to make the people of Kentucky a faithful State Treasurer and guardian of the funds of the commonwealth.

**Clinton Gazette:** Mr. Terrell has made a reputation as a man who is to be depended upon to do exactly what he promises to do.

**Arlington Courier:** A better man cannot be found for this place. He is self-made, public spirited, and a friend to the working man.

**Mayfield Messenger:** He is a great friend to education and a constant fighter for good roads. With him as State Treasurer the people can be assured that the affairs of that office will be conducted honestly and according to law.

**Bowling Green Times-Journal:** Mr. Terrell will add strength to the ticket selected next month, and it is gratifying to know that his nomination is a certainty.

**Bowling Green News:** The press of the state is loud in its praise of him as a Democrat, a high-class gentleman and an honorable incorruptible man of fine business and executive ability and one who never has and never will betray a trust either in private or public life.

**Todd County Progress:** Mr. Terrell enjoys a wide acquaintance in the state, made a splendid Speaker of the House, and is a man of winning personality.

**Smith's Grove Times:** The county papers over the state are giving Terrell their support, and it is likely that he will carry the state by a larger majority than most candidates.

**Cloverport News:** He is a man who has made good in all his public trusts. He is a man well equipped for the office he is asking.

**Springfield Sun:** The manner in which he conducted the affairs of his great trust as Speaker won for him many strong friends over the state, who are now endeavoring to endorse his valuable service.

**New Haven Echo:** He is of the younger set of business men and possesses the push that has always been

lacking in the state, and has been so much needed.

**Shepherdsville News:** He helped to enact more constructive laws than any other Speaker who has presided over the House in fifty years. He is by far the ablest and strongest man seeking the Treasurership.

**Breckenridge News:** The Big Sandy News pays a very fine compliment to Claude B. Terrell. The beauty about it is that 'tis true.

He is running on a record that seems invincible. His friends say the nomination is certain, and the honor will be most fitly and properly bestowed.

**Louisville Journal of Labor:** Citizens of Kentucky should certainly appreciate his efforts and evidence their appreciation by nominating this splendid worker for the public good. He is meeting with great success daily and his candidacy grows in public favor constantly.

**Boone County Recorder:** His prospect for receiving the nomination is very good. He is a Sixth District boy, and we are all for him.

**Falmouth Pendletonian:** His greatest strength is where he is best known, which is the strongest evidence of a man's worth, and for this high office he has no superiors.

**Carrollton Democrat:** All who know him seem to be for him. Trimble County is fated to have a representative among our state officials the coming four years.

**Grant County News:** There is no blot on his escutcheon as a lawmaker and a faithful servant of the people, and he now comes with clean hands seeking a state office. We have no doubt he will reflect credit.

**Uniontown Telegram:** Besides his ability which qualifies him to efficiently conduct the duties of Treasurer, he is a native Union countian, which makes a strong appeal to us.

**Seabrook Banner:** The ticket needs strength to win in November, and Claude B. Terrell will add much along that line Webster County voters can well afford to support him.

**Pembroke Journal:** Terrell looks like a winner. He has the support of the leading newspapers of the state. In all official positions he has served his constituents faithfully.

**Big Sandy News:** In Eastern Kentucky Mr. Terrell is very strong. No citizen who wants clean men in important offices will make any mistake in voting for him.

**Hazel Green Herald:** No Democrat can possibly make a mistake in voting for Terrell, for he has been tried in many positions of honor and trust and never yet has he been found wanting.

**Robertson Advance:** He does not permit politics to make of him a selfish or biased man. He is able to take care of the Treasurer's office, and he will carry this county.

**Ewing Enquirer:** He is widely known as a man of ability, as a promoter of the good roads movement and all educational matters. He is worthy of the support of any man who wants to place the right man in the right place.

**Russell Times:** Democrats want men nominated that will bring strength to the ticket in the general election. They will make no mistake in nominating Terrell for Treasurer.

**Whitesburg Mountain Eagle:** As State Treasurer he will be "at home," and besides doing much good for his constituents he will be in part repaid for the excellent work he has already done for Kentucky.

**Pike County News:** A most excellent gentleman and fully qualified for the office he seeks.



CLAUDE B. TERRELL

**Kentucky Standard:** He has been closely associated with the educational interest of the state for many years, and popular education has no stronger advocate.

**Hartford Herald:** He is splendidly qualified, as his service in office has brought him close to the interests of the people.

**Estill Tribune:** He is a conservative business man in whom the people can trust with implicit faith and his loyalty and work for Democratic success entitles him to recognition by the party.

**Danville Messenger:** Mr. Terrell has gained much strength over the state, especially during the past two weeks, and his nomination seems assured.

**Henry County Local:** His career has been prominent and noteworthy of the sterling character of this splendid young man. It behoves the Democrats to remember him on election day.

**Owenton News-Herald:** It should be a pleasure to Owen County Democrats to cast their votes for him. He will make a safe and efficient Treasurer.

**Woodford Blue Grass Clipper:** None of the candidates are receiving more favorable mention. From every quarter come reports of the great favor in which his candidacy is held.

**Louisville Evening Post:** Mr. Ter-

## Vote For Claude B. Terrell For State Treasurer

### A. M. Lowe

The Democrats have an excellent chance to elect a Representative from this district. While the two counties ordinarily give a Republican majority of 200, the hot fight going on among the three Republican candidates is almost sure to result in a division that will turn many votes from the nominee in the final election.

A. M. Lowe, who is a candidate on the Democratic ticket, has the endorsement and backing of the leading Democrats of Powell county, and can carry the solid vote of this county and swing

many of the opposite party. He stands for progress and retrenchment in our public expenditures, and if elected can accomplish more good for the people of his district than any of the other candidates. Vote for him.—ady.

### ORPHANS' HOME ITEMS.

The Winchester Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church remembered us recently with another check for \$21.

Mrs. Edgar of Paris sent us \$6 for our range fund and also one dollar from the Sunday School class.

Rev. Jones of Hazard, Ky., stopped over night on his return from a special meeting of The West Lexington Presbytery.

Miss Fannie Robbins left on Monday for Montreal, N. C. to attend the Chataqua of the Presbyterian church.

John and Paul Ackman are in the hospital at Winchester for treatment.

**Man With Glasses.**  
It is a greater crime in the eye of the law to strike a man who wears glasses than it is to assault one who does not wear glasses. In most of the states this law obtains, if not in all of them.

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Your Vote For  
**C. N. CROWE**  
For Powell Circuit Court Clerk  
Will Be Appreciated  
Democratic Primary August 7, 1915.

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If you desire the school system run on a business basis, which will pay the teachers on time, increase the per capita and attendance, get a dollar's worth of efficient service for every dollar expended, vote for V. O. Gilbert.

### A CORRECTION.

Believing it is due the good people of Hardwick's Creek Methodist Church as well as those who assisted them in raising money to cover the church. I desire to correct the report of the meeting held there on the fourth Sunday in June. That report said \$100,000 was raised for the purpose of covering the house, and those who do not know will believe it was all raised on that day. I desire to give the meeting credit for all it did, but I wish to say the question of covering the house had been discussed at one of my appointment, when it was agreed to meet again to appoint a committee for the purpose, which was done, the committee went to work, and by the time of the Basket dinner they had secured in the neighborhood of \$75,000.

Respectfully Submitted,  
E. H. Ritchie P. C.

### DENTIST HERE.

Dr. E. M. Norton, of Louisville, is at Conlee's Hotel, and is prepared to do dental work of all kinds. Dr. Norton will be here for some time, and those needing dental work would do well to see him.

The enemies of Judge J. M. Benton are resorting to all sorts of tactics to drag into the more the good name and reputation established by the candidate for Circuit Judge. In doing so they have been applying the mock trial with diligence in an effort to bring him on a level with his opponent. These tactics are characteristic of the opponent of Judge Benton and have marked their every effort since the opening of the campaign between the local man and his Madison county opponent.

In an effort to regain the waning support the Shackelford supporters do not hesitate to take into their hands the slightest mole hill and mold it into a mountain without a regard for conscience and there seems no abating of the dirty work which has been in progress for some time.

We are of the opinion that the supporters and friends of Judge Shackelford could accomplish more by devoting their effort to the elevation of the man of their choice, rather than running down his opponent whose record as a man and jurist stands out in bold relief. The fair minded voters can compare the records of the two candidates for this office and without unbiased prejudice can draw their own deductions as to which is the better qualified to fill the office which is one of the most responsible in the district and which was created to be filled by men in whom the people could display confidence and whose abilities cannot be questioned.

Quietly the Benton supporters are listening to the stories which are being circulated, while the every effort of the Shackelford men is making votes for the Clark county candidate every day.

—Winchester Sun.

**WHEN YOU WANT  
A SHAVE OR HAIR CUT  
OR ANY  
TONSORIAL WORK  
CALL ON  
H. H. PHERIGO.**

### For Albert Easter

West Liberty, Ky., August 2nd 1915.  
Editor Clay City Times.

Dear Sir:-

As a regular reader will you please permit me through the columns of your valuable paper to say a few words in the interest of Mr. Albert Easter, Democratic candidate for Representative in your district. Having known Mr. Easter and living within a stone throw of him for some five or six years, and knowing him as I do to be an honest and sincere man, and having labored faithfully for the success of his party, at whose hands he asks this nomination, I feel it my duty as a Democrat to say these few words in his behalf. And in doing so I am casting no reflections upon his opponent Mr. A. M. Lowe a gentleman of whom I do not know. Mr. Easter is well qualified in every particular for the high office to which he aspires, and I know him to be a man who cannot be bought, or controlled by any man or set of men.

He is a man who will do his duty without fear or favor, and if nominated and elected will serve to the last letter the great common people. Being himself a farmer and earning his living by the sweat of the brow gives him a clear idea of the wants of the farmers and of the legislation that should be passed in their behalf. Mr. Easter if nominated will add a tower of strength to the ticket in November throughout his district.

Being a native of Old Powell County and having the interest of her people at heart I feel it my duty to say these few words in his behalf.

Sincerely,  
W. S. Poole.

### Local Items.

W. H. Overly, of Ashland, is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. H. Pherigo, for a few days.

**The leading Republicans in this county are for Shuckford. That's one reason why Democrats should vote for Benton.**

Lost, A leather bill book containing about \$18 in currency and some receipts. May have been lost at Argyll or Stanton or on the train. Finder please return to Station Agent Vollmer or to this office.

Miss Grace Martin, of Clay City, visited Miss Mable Norton

at Winchester last week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Ritchie announce the engagement of their daughter, Bessie May, to Mr. Russell Clark Landes, of Goshen, Va. The wedding will take place early in the fall.

Claude Carr, of Miami, Texas, is spending a few weeks visiting relatives and friends here. His father, Mr. Harvey Carr, has been in poor health for some time, and Mr. Carr will remain here for probably a month yet.

A mad dog in the yard of section foreman Gillis, created some excitement Tuesday morning. It was finally shot by George Stephens.

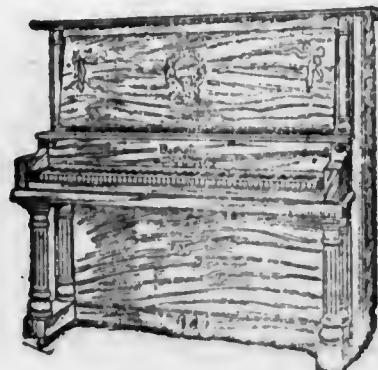
Borne to Mrs. Nettie Hall, Tuesday, July 27, a 12 pound girl.

Considerable excitement was caused in Winchester Saturday night by the disappearance of the little 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Crabtree, who had been attending the Fair. The little girl wandered away from the Central Hotel, where they were staying, and it was some hours before the frantic parents could locate her.

Albert Easter and A. M. Lowe, the two Democratic candidates for Representative from this district, both made speeches at the schoolhouse last Thursday night. A good crowd turned out to hear them.

The open air band practice is much appreciated by the people of the town. A strong light has been hung on the square near the depot, and a large number of citizens are always on hand to hear the boys, who are progressing fine.

Watch next week for the Big Semi-Annual Clearance Sale adv. of Hardwick & Co., of Stanton. This enterprising firm does not believe in carrying stock over



THE LIVE BABY will be brought to our store next Saturday afternoon. Will you be here to see the nurse bring it to us? We shall take care of the baby from that time until your ballot decides into what home it shall go. It will not be necessary to take out adoption papers, as we have arranged to give legal title to it.

Do you want the family of your neighbor to have it? Then get your envoys in for them. It will be brought to the store next Saturday.

Music next Saturday by Miss Smith, and next Wednesday by Ethel Duncan.

**Let us supply your wants in Coal Oil Cookers, Steel Ranges and Heaters, as the severe winter weather will be on us, and we can furnish you anything from the cheapest in stoves up to any price.**

Beginning Monday, Aug. 16, we start our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale to close out several lines of goods that we do not care to handle any more, and to make room for our FALL AND WINTER GOODS which will be coming in shortly.



**Mrs. J. W. Williams**  
(THE BOOSTER STORE)

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Our Spring and Summer goods are now in stock. We invite you to call and see them. We handle new, up-to-date, honest merchandise at honest prices--the goods, quality and prices that will bring you back to our store when again in need of something.

**Our aim is to keep, as nearly as possible, everything the people want, but if we haven't it we will get it for you. It will pay you to see what we have when in the market for**

**Dry Goods Notions, Millinery Womens' and Mens' Furnishing goods, clothing, hats, shoes, underwear, hosiery, furniture, wall paper, mattings, linoleums, oil carpets rugs mattresses bed springs, cots, beds, trunks suit cases, hand bags wood, coal and oil stoves, sewing machines harness saddles hardware queensware paints oils varnishes farm implements seeds buggies wagons etc.**

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from one season to another, and they reduce prices to clear it out.

A large number from here left Wednesday morning to attend the Blue Grass Fair at Lexington, among them being Dr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wright, Dr. Norton, Virgil Rose, John Eaton and Will Mountz. All the children from the Home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kersterter, also attended.

Dillard J. Watson returned Wednesday to his home in Indi-

anapolis, after a stay of three months with friends here and in Montgomery county.

C. A. Hazelrigg went to Lexington Tuesday.

### H. G. Garrett

About the only candidate we have seen who is pursuing the even tenor of his way without any doubts as to the outcome, is H. G. Garrett, the Republican candidate for renomination as Railroad Commissioner for this dis-